

OFFICIAL FEEDBACK FORM

DIALOGUE DATE	Thursday, 8 April 2021 09:00 GMT +07:00
DIALOGUE TITLE	Achieving a sustainable food system in Bandung City - towards a diverse, equitable, healthy and resilient food system in Indonesia
CONVENED BY	Miranda, Project Manager the Switch Asia Local Harvest project- Hivos, and Bandung City Office of Food and Agriculture
DIALOGUE EVENT PAGE	https://summitdialogues.org/dialogue/10429/
DIALOGUE TYPE	Independent
GEOGRAPHICAL FOCUS	Indonesia

The outcomes from a Food Systems Summit Dialogue will be of use in developing the pathway to sustainable food systems within the locality in which they take place. They will be a valuable contribution to the national pathways and also of interest to the different workstreams preparing for the Summit: the Action Tracks, Scientific Groups and Champions as well as for other Dialogues.

1. PARTICIPATION

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

30

PARTICIPATION BY AGE RANGE

0-18

7

19-30

15

31-50

7

51-65

1

66-80

80+

PARTICIPATION BY GENDER

18 Male

12 Female

Prefer not to say or Other

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IN EACH SECTOR

1 Agriculture/crops

Fish and aquaculture

1 Livestock

Agro-forestry

1 Environment and ecology

3 Trade and commerce

5 Education

Communication

Food processing

1 Food retail, markets

Food industry

Financial Services

Health care

1 Nutrition

9 National or local government

Utilities

Industrial

8 Other

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FROM EACH STAKEHOLDER GROUP

2 Small/medium enterprise/artisan

Large national business

Multi-national corporation

1 Small-scale farmer

Medium-scale farmer

Large-scale farmer

7 Local Non-Governmental Organization

1 International Non-Governmental Organization

Indigenous People

5 Science and academia

Workers and trade union

Member of Parliament

9 Local authority

Government and national institution

1 Regional economic community

United Nations

International financial institution

3 Private Foundation / Partnership / Alliance

Consumer group

1 Other

2. PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT

HOW DID YOU ORGANIZE THE DIALOGUE SO THAT THE PRINCIPLES WERE INCORPORATED, REINFORCED AND ENHANCED?

The Independent dialogue is a 2-days face-to-face meeting conducted to share experiences and discuss issues related to the Bandung city food system. The event was conducted offline to give more space for interaction among the participants and due to consideration that many people have experienced zoom fatigue. However, the dialogue was organized under a strict health protocol to avoid the risk of Covid 19 virus transmission. The Principles of Engagement were used as references in preparing the dialogue.

HOW DID YOUR DIALOGUE REFLECT SPECIFIC ASPECTS OF THE PRINCIPLES?

The event adopted the Summit principles of engagement. We informed the participants that the dialogue was not only organized as a forum for discussing issues and seeking for joint commitment to achieve a sustainable food system for the city but also as a contribution to the Food Systems Summit for achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. We embraced the complexity of the food system by inviting participants from different groups with different roles in the city food systems: government, academics, urban farming community, nutritionist, etc. To cover the sustainability elements, participants were divided into four group discussions: Economy, Social, Environment, and Wellbeing. 2-days events provide more time to "build trust", share concerns, ideas and discuss the issues more deeply.

DO YOU HAVE ADVICE FOR OTHER DIALOGUE CONVENORS ABOUT APPRECIATING THE PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT?

Visualization of the topic discussed may help the participants to understand better and provide transparency. . Everybody can re-visit them, make adjustments or provide feedback at any time during the events

3. METHOD

The outcomes of a Dialogue are influenced by the method that is used.

DID YOU USE THE SAME METHOD AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONVENORS REFERENCE MANUAL?

Yes

No

4. DIALOGUE FOCUS & OUTCOMES

MAJOR FOCUS

The dialogue was focusing on issues around the complexity of the Bandung city food system. A brief explanation about the food system approach was given on the first day since not all participants are familiar with this approach, as well as to build the spirit of collaboration among stakeholders from different groups. The participants were divided into four groups based on sustainability elements: Economic, Social, Environment, and Well-being based on their expertise, working area, experience, and interest. Through different stages, each group developed the vision, discuss current issues and what needed for achieving the vision based on existing initiatives, also potential innovation that can leverage the process.

ACTION TRACKS

- Action Track 1: Ensure access to safe and nutritious food for all
- Action Track 2: Shift to sustainable consumption patterns
- Action Track 3: Boost nature-positive production
- Action Track 4: Advance equitable livelihoods
- Action Track 5: Build resilience to vulnerabilities, shocks and stress

KEYWORDS

- Finance
- Innovation
- Human rights
- Women & Youth Empowerment
- Policy
- Data & Evidence
- Governance
- Trade-offs
- Environment and Climate

MAIN FINDINGS

The city/urban food system is unique since it is highly dependent upon the rural for the provision of food. During the discussion, participants agreed to integrate several principles: embrace the diversity of local food, apply sustainable/ responsible practices, improve governance in the city food system and stakeholder collaboration. Improved access to safe and healthy food for all was also raised and discussed during the dialogue.

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OUTCOMES FOR EACH DISCUSSION TOPIC - 1/4

WELLBEING: Participants in the Wellbeing group agreed that improved consumer awareness and knowledge on healthy and sustainable food is the key to support the transformation of consumption pattern which will lead to a healthy and productive life, particularly for the future generation. Several initiatives recommended: (a) Collaboration among stakeholders and build on existing programs; (b) Conduct massive campaign particularly for youth through social media and engage influencers; (c) Capacity building for food SMEs /retailers in technology and gastronomy; (d) Intervention through school canteens to provide healthy food for students

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OUTCOMES FOR EACH DISCUSSION TOPIC - 2/4

ENVIRONMENT: Participants in the Environment group highlighted urban farming initiatives as one of the ways to support availability and access to healthy food for the communities. The local government needs to regulate the use of vacant land for this purpose. Green technology should be developed to optimize productivity in urban farming. Enabling policy environment for green finance /investment should be improved for this purpose. Besides production, the participants also discussed the utilization of food waste for food production (circular economy)

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OUTCOMES FOR EACH DISCUSSION TOPIC - 3/4

ECONOMY: How to ensure and monitor the city food reserves and availability, food price stability, access to food were several issues identified and discussed by participants in the Economy group. The participants agreed that it is required to improve infrastructure, governance, and enabling policy environment to address the challenges. A reliable information system is also needed to support the implementation

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OUTCOMES FOR EACH DISCUSSION TOPIC - 4/4

SOCIAL: According to participants in this group, the socio-economic level of the community (income, level of education, parenting style) influences the diets of the community. Therefore, government and relevant stakeholders need to develop and strengthen programs to improve knowledge and access to quality food, for the poor and marginalized groups. Other issues discussed were related to consumer awareness of the diversity of food sources in Indonesia so that they should not depend on only certain food products to cover their nutrition needs. Innovation and creativity in processing local food source, usage of low investment and appropriate technology by SMEs, and involvement of public figures, trendsetter, and informal leader in the campaign will support the achievement AT1

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AREAS OF DIVERGENCE

The area of divergence that emerged during the discussion is whether urban farming initiatives are significant enough to support food security in the city. Some participants said that this could be achieved through optimized use of technology, while others thought that the contract farming model with farmers in the surrounding areas should be considered more to support the city food security

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